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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Claims 1-20 are pending in this application. Claims 1 and 11  
are being amended and claim 3 canceled to facilitate the search and  
examination of this invention.

In the Claims:

Please cancel claim 3.

Please amend claims 1 and 11 as follows:

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Invention: ANTISENSE MODULATION OF PHOSPHOLIPID SCRAMBLASE I EXPRESSION			

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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- ☐ A verified statement to establish Small Entity status under 37 FR 1.27 is enclosed.

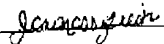
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